

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re The Application of:                     )  
    Silvano Gai et al.                         )  
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Serial No.: 10/770,383                        )  
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Filed: February 2, 2004                        )  
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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS                    )  
    FOR AUTO-CONFIGURING                    )  
    LAYER THREE INTERMEDI-                    )  
    ATE COMPUTER NETWORK                    )  
    DEVICES

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**AMENDMENT**

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action mailed June 11, 2008.  
The Applicant respectfully requests favorable action.